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I am ... the honor, peace and safety of the people, encourage our prosperity, and develop our resources.

I will vigorously uphold all measures tending to our social and ... oppose all derogatory to the good of our country and people.

I promise to be ever ready to represent the petitions of my constituents when right and reasonable, and intend when practicable, consulting them upon the wants &c. of these districts.

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do best yearling Bull
do second do
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do second do

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do best yearling
do second do
do best two year old
do second do
do best three year old
do do do
do best Cow of any age
do do do

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For the best bred Ram Lamb
do second do
do best yearling Ram
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do best pen of five Ewe Lambs,
do second do do
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do do Carriage Horses
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do do

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do best bushel of Chevalier Barley
do second do do
do best bushel of Oats,
do second do
do best bushel of Peas of any color
do second do
do best sample of Hops, not less than 100 lbs
do second do

SECTION 2.

For the best twelve Swedish Turnips
White Turnips
Turnips, other than Swedes
Beets Mangold Wurtzel
Carrots
do best six Cattle Cabbage

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For the best pair of Turkeys
Geese
Ducks
Spanish Fowls
Dorkin do
Fowls of any other kind
Rabbits
do heaviest dozen of Eggs (single yolk)

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For the best sample Butter, not less than 5 lbs
do second do do do
do best sample Firkin Butter, not less than 50lb
do second do do do
do best Cheese, not less than 10 lbs
do second do do

FRUITS.

For the best twelve Apples
do second do
do best twelve Pears
do second do
do best four Melons
do second do
do best twelve Plums
do second do
do best collection of Fruits grown by one exhibitor
do second do do do do

VEGETABLES.

For the best bushel of Potatoes, sample of not less than one acre
do second do do
do best three varieties of Potatoes, one-half bushel of each
do second do do
do best collection of Vegetables, to consist of the following varieties: six Cabbages, six Leeks, six Parsnips, six Carrots, two Vegetable Marrows, three Cauliflowers, six Celery, six Beets, twelve Onions, and twelve table Turnips,
do second best collection of Vegetables, to consist of same varieties
do best collection, consisting of the following: two Cucumbers, two Pumpkins, twelve Tomatoes, and two Squash,
do second best collection, consisting of same
do best sample of Onions, not less than ½ bush.

FLORAL.

For the best collection of Flowers by amateur florists
do second do do do do
do best Boquet do do do

For the best Fancy Needle Work
do second do do

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, &c.

For the best Plough made in the Province.
do second do do do
do best pair of Harrows, made in the Province
do second do do do
do best one horse Hoe
do second do do
do best one horse power Chaff Cutter, (with or without power), made in the Province
do best Reaper and Mower combined, or other ...
do best Threshing Machine
do best Turnip Cutter
do best Pulper
do best Carding Machine
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do best general assortment of Horse Shoes
do best Farm Waggon
do best Dump Cart
do best barrel of Flour made in the Province
do best assortment of Boots and Shoes do
do best assortment of Harness made in the do
do second do do do
do best barrel of Ale do do
do best sample of Preserved Salmon, in tins 1 or 2 pounds

All Stock to be entered before 9 o'clock, A. M., of the day of the Show, but entries can be made with the Secretary any time previous to that date.

Cattle Pens will be provided for all Stock entered as above.

All animals must be properly secured, or they will not be allowed in the Show Yard.

SCALE OF ENTRANCE FEES FOR NON-SUBSCRIBERS.

Animals, each Class $1; Agricultural Implements, $1; Field Produce, 50 cents; Dairy Produce, 50 cents; Fruit, 50 cents; Vegetables, 50 cents. No charge for entrance to Subscribers.

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COMMITTEE:

H. NATHAN, Jr., M. P., H. MITCHELL, T. ALLSOP, W. DALBY, R. MARVIN.

Application has been made to the Dominion Government to allow Machinery and Agricultural Products for exhibition from the neighboring Territory of the United States to come in free of duty, provided they be re-exported within seven days.

Any further information can be obtained from the undersigned.

THOS. RUSSELL, Secretary.
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Victoria, 26th August, 1872. au27

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Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between Hy. C. Poole and Michael Towey, farmers, Saanich, having been dissolved on the 12th inst., the undersigned hereby gives notice that he will not be responsible for any debts without his signature.
HY. C. POOLE.
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FOR SALE.

THE STEAM SASH AND DOOR FACtory, Cormorant street.
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THE HOUSE AND FURNITURE NOW occupied by me. Terms one third cash, balance in one and two years credit.
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New Advertisements.

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Provincial Secretary's Office, 20th July, 1872

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that under and by virtue of the provisions of "The Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages Act, 1872," the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has divided the Province into the following Districts, and appointed District Registrars, as set opposite each such District respectively, (except in the Districts comprising the Electoral Districts of Victoria City and District, Esquimalt and Cowichan Districts, which being hereby constituted one District for the purposes of the said Act, the Registrar General to be District Registrar under the said Act; and ... the boundaries of each District ... the Electoral District or Division as described in a Proclamation under the hand and seal of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, dated 20th September, 1871.

District No. 1, to consist of the Electoral District of Victoria City and District, Esquimalt and Cowichan.

District No. 2, to consist of the ... Nanaimo and Comox.—District Registrar, ...

District No. 3, to consist of the Electoral District of New Westminster City and District.—District Registrar, ...

District No. 4, to consist of the Electoral District of Yale.—District Registrar, W. C. ..., Esq.

District No. 5, to consist of the Polling Division of Clinton and Canoe Creek, in the Electoral District of Lillooet.—District Registrar, ...

No. 6, to consist of the Polling Division of Lillooet in Electoral District of Lillooet.—District Registrar, ...

District No. 7, to consist of Electoral District of Cariboo (except the Polling Division of Quesnelle).—District Registrar, H. M. Ball, Esq.

District No. 8, to consist of the Polling Division of Quesnelle, in Electoral District of Cariboo.—District Registrar, W. H. Fitzgerald, Esq.

District No. 9, to consist of Electoral District of Kootenay.—District Registrar, A. Vowell, Esq.

By Command.
A. ROCKE ROBERTSON,
Provincial Secretary.
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DR. CHING FUN—A CARD—EDITOR STANDARD:—Through the medium of your paper I want to state the very great good that has been done me by Dr. Ching Fun of this city, next door Kwong Lee & Co. For 24 years I suffered with neuralgia of the brain, which baffled the skill of three first class American physicians. Lastly ... my right lung, and my eye and ... I placed myself as a last ... in the hands of Dr. Ching Fun, and after five months treatment I am well. ... I cannot ... the eminent Chinese gentleman ... and find relief.
Respectfully,
JOHN HENTON, of Kentucky, U. S.
Victoria, 21st Sept. 1872.

PRIVATE
BOARDING HOUSE
FORT STREET, bet. Douglas & Broad Streets.
The above establishment is Conducted by
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BOARD, per WEEK..........
BOARD and LODGING, per WEEK..........
MEALS..........
Strict attention paid to the Comfort of Boarders ...

Partnership Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING FORMED a copartnership will from this date carry on the business of butchering, cattle dealing, &c., premises at present occupied by Mr. John Vaughan, Fort street, and solicit the patronage of the public generally. The best meats of all kinds kept on hand and delivered free of carriage to any part of the city. The highest market price paid for beef cattle.
JOHN VAUGHAN.
JOHN WOODS.
Victoria, B. C. 11th September, 1872.

Lumber for Sale.

A QUANTITY OF LUMBER LYING NEAR Foster's wharf, Esquimalt, for sale in lots. Apply to MR. ..., Near the Club.
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LOT 201 ON THE NORTH SIDE OF FORT street, between Blanchard and Quadra, adjoining Mr. Hayward's. There are 2 good dwelling houses, on the lots, also, a well of good water and all necessary out buildings.
Half of lot 296 on View street, in rear of lot 201, with ...
Apply to GEO. HANSELL, View street.
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To Breeders of Live Stock.

THE OWNERS OF ONE OF THE best Cattle Ranches on the Lower Fraser, ... are open to receive ... Cattle on half profits.
Apply to ... & ...

The Daily Standard. Tuesday, September 24, 1872.

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

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INDIAN CURIOSITIES,
CLOTHING, &c.
Also. Two Safes.
One Iron Safe, Two Show Cases.
Will be sold from this date at Cost Prices. fy25 3m

Esquimalt Graving Dock.

THE GOVERNMENT OF BRITISH Columbia are prepared to receive Tenders for the construction of a Graving Dock, at the Naval Station, Esquimalt Harbor, under the provisions contained in the Twelfth Section of the Terms of Union of this Province with the Dominion of Canada, with Section 2 in the following words:—

"The Dominion Government shall guarantee the interest for ten years from the date of the completion of the works, at the rate of five per cent. per annum, on such sum, not exceeding £100,000 sterling, as may be required for the construction of a first class Graving Dock at Esquimalt."

The Dock to be of masonry, and of not less than the following dimensions:—

Length on floor 370 feet.
Do. over all 400 feet.
Width between copings 90 feet.
Do. on floor 65 feet.
Do. of entrance 65 feet.

to afford a depth of water on the sill of not less than 26 feet at high water springs, and to be substantially constructed to the approval of Government, plans and specifications to be provided by the person whose tender may be accepted.

Further particulars as to site, borings, &c., may be obtained from T. A. Bulkley, Esq., Chief Engineer, to the Government, upon application in writing to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Tenders must specify the time within which the Dock will be completed, and must be accompanied by designs and specifications showing length, dimensions, materials, and mode of construction of proposed Dock.

Tenders are to be sealed, endorsed "Tender for Esquimalt Graving Dock," addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, British Columbia, and delivered at his office before noon, of the 15th day of November, 1872.

Persons tendering to embrace the above proposals to be sufficient, are at liberty to tender on the basis of such supplemental guarantee by the Provincial Government, or upon such other financial inducements as they may suggest.

The Government do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

Each tender must be accompanied by a bond for the Contractor, and two sufficient sureties, for the payment of £10,000 to Her Majesty, her heirs and successors, conditioned upon the due fulfillment of the tender which is accepted, provided it be accepted within three months from the said 15th November.

By Command.
GEO. A. WALKEM,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Office,
Victoria, April 27th, 1872. ap30w

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May be found with their Agents for British Columbia
Messrs. LANGLEY & CO.,
YATES STREET, VICTORIA.
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Bankruptcy Notice.

WHEREAS a petition of adjudication of Bankruptcy bearing date, the 18th day of June, 1872, hath been duly filed against Joseph Foster, Miner, of the One Hundred and Fifty Mile House, Lillooet Alexandria Waggon Road in the Province of British Columbia, trader, and he having been declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Hon. Chief Justice ... in Bankruptcy, on the 2nd day of September next, at 12 o'clock in the forenoon precisely, and on the 16th day of September following at 11 o'clock in the forenoon precisely, ... and make a full discovery ... of the estate and effects, when and where the Creditors are to come to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Chas. E. Pooley, the Official Assignee, whom the Court has appointed.
CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Official Assignee.
Victoria, 14th August, 1872.

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TO PARTIES ABOUT EFFECTING AN Assurance this Company offers every advantage. The undersigned are empowered to accept proposals.
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Agents for Columbia. jy11tf

The Daily Standard.

Tuesday, September 24, 1872.

San Juan Island.

The whole United States, as well as the whole Dominion of Canada, are just now on the tip-toe of expectation as to the decision of the Emperor William in the [illegible] between Great Britain and the United States, in which is involved the question as to which [illegible] belongs sovereign jurisdiction over the island of San Juan and the several other islands adjacent thereto and integrated in the award about to be made. If our morning contemporary is well informed, the matter is already disposed of, and the United States have got the islands. Where it gets its information, we know not. Probably it is in the confidence of Bismarck, or even King William himself—if not, we are indisposed to place any great degree of reliance on the source from which it derives its information in advance of the Courts of St. James and Washington. We see no reason in the world for supposing that the [illegible] has been decided in favor of the United States, unless it be that [illegible] better right to it than England. Viewing the matter, as we do from the British standpoint, we are at a loss to conceive how King William can do otherwise than award the islands in question to Great Britain. The most incontestable evidence has been furnished by the British Government to show that when the treaty was made the channel referred to as forming the dividing line between the nations was the Rosario channel, and that it was not until after the discovery of gold in British Columbia and the subsequent use of De Haro channel as the main route to the Gulf of Georgia, that the United States put in any claim to proprietory rights over the island of San Juan. Up to that time it was in the undisputed possession of the British Government. There is no reason whatever to doubt that every attention has been given to the representations of Messrs Cartier and Macdougall to the Imperial Government relative to the subject, and that whatever evidence they were in possession of likely to influence the mind of the German Emperor in favor of Britain's claims has been laid before him. We believe the whole question will be decided upon its merits, and should the islands fall to the United States, which we conceive to be very unlikely, we must just make up our minds that Uncle Sam has a better right to them than we have, and wish him luck in the acquisition of so important a piece of territory. "But," says our neighbor, "if England loses San Juan the United States will be placed in command of the only channel of communication between Victoria and the Mainland, the only way to the open sea possessed by the Dominion." As a strategic point we think our contemporary greatly overrates the importance of San Juan Island. Were it in the hands of the Americans to-morrow, and were hostilities to commence between the United States and Great Britain, no fortifications that they could erect could close the channel [illegible] against British vessels navigating the waters separating San Juan from Vancouver Island. There are no guns at present in use that could stop a British man-of-war passing through De Haro Channel, or [illegible] felt disposed to do so, from batteries erected on any portion of San Juan Island. It is all [illegible] than keeping the door of the Pacific; but should any difficulty ever arise between the two nations, it would soon be seen which of them had possession of the key either to open or close it. Thanks, however, to the Washington Treaty, all probabilities of a rupture of the friendly relations between England and the United States have been effectually removed, and it is doubtful if there be a man now living who will see the day that these two Anglo Saxon nations will wage war with each other. Their policy is peace; the only field upon which they are ever likely to contend with each other, is that for the spread of civilization, the extension of commerce, the diffusion of knowledge, and the moral and spiritual elevation of the human race throughout the world. Their mission is to be co-workers together for the good of mankind. Speaking the same language, governed by kindred laws, bound to each other by a common origin, inheritors of the same faith, related to each other by inseparable ties of commerce, it were idle fully to speculate upon the value of a speck of territory like San Juan Island to either one of them, or the [illegible] point of strategic importance in the event of a war between England and America. No such a contingency is ever likely to arise, and hence the importance of San Juan Island to either country is scarcely worthy of consideration. It might have been otherwise had there been no Treaty of Washington to set at rest the Alabama Claims, the Atlantic Fisheries dispute, the St. Lawrence navigation question, and other matters which in the past have caused unpleasant feelings between them. We are as firmly convinced as we ever were that the island of right belongs to Great Britain, and we see no reason whatever to doubt that it will be awarded her by the Imperial arbitrator to whom the question has been referred. If, however, England should lose it, we shall regret that the verdict has gone against her, although we shall be glad to see the question peaceably settled, and wish our neighbors success in the possession of the islands said by an impartial judge to be rightfully theirs.

[illegible] presides over the past. Tell's Coffee over the present. The first lives in a [illegible] with Moslem trophies, and lined [illegible] tombs, but Tell's Coffee has but one shrine and that is every breakfast table. Its aroma walks the earth like a spirit and can be found for sale at every respectable dealers in British Columbia. Beware of spurious imitations. ly

New Advertisements.

Capt. William Irving, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all Claims against William Irving, late of New Westminster, deceased, are to be sent in to the Executors, Mrs. Irving and Mr. John Irving, and Mr. John Irving will collect all debts due to the Estate.

DRAKE & JACKSON, Solicitors for the Estate. se3

Mainland Guardian Copy.

AUCTION

J. P. DAVIES & CO

Have received instructions to sell at the residence of

Mrs F. Pearkes

JOHNSON Street above Blanchard,

Friday, Sept. 27th,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

Consisting of—Mahogany Hair Seat Sofa, Center Table, Lounge, Cane and Wood Seat Chairs, Carpets, Window Blinds, Looking Glasses, Pictures, Bureaus, Bedsteads, Mattresses, Blankets, Sheets, Pillow Slips, Dining Table, Crockery, Glassware, and the Usual Kitchen Furniture, &c., &c.

TERMS CASH.

se24 J. P. Davies & Co. Auctioneers

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

Stock Sale.

J. P. DAVIES & CO

WILL SELL AT THE

Cattle Sale Yard, Fort Steert,

Saturday, Sept. 28th

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON

Horses, Cattle, & Buggies.

Particulars in time.

se16 J. P. DAVIES Auctioneer.

BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES

Fairfield Terrace Top of Fort Street.

[illegible] PETREAU, Principal.

Private Lessons in FRENCH and MUSIC, every day after 3 o'clock. [illegible] se21

HARVEST SUPPER.

ON THURSDAY EVENING, SEPT 26th There will be a Harvest Supper at the Swan Lake House.

Dancing in the Evening. All are invited to come. se20 [illegible] SMITH.

Tenders.

TENDERS will be received [illegible] Council Chambers up to 4 P.M. on Wednesday, the 25th inst., for laying a side walk [illegible] feet wide, [illegible] on the [illegible] side of Government street between Chatham and Discovery street. Specifications and number of lots to be seen at the City Council Chambers.

se23 W. [illegible] LEIGH, C.M.C.

Sealed Tenders

FOR FENCING, PLOUGHING, Draining, and Roadmaking upon the land at Ross Bay, set apart for a Cemetery, addressed to the Secretary of the Cemetery Board, will be received until noon of the 28th instant.

Plans and specifications, prepared by Mr. Mitchell, may be seen at the office of the Secretary, Bastion street.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order of the Board.

J. ROLAND HETT, Secretary.

J. C. TRACY.

AUCTIONEER & COMMISSION MERCHANT

CONSIGNMENTS of Fruit, Flour, Butter, [illegible] solicited by every steamer.

Salesroom St. Nicholas Building, Government Street.

Regular Sales every Wednesday at 11 o'clock. Consignments solicited. Prompt Returns, and moderate charges guaranteed.

Will Sell at Salesroom,

Wednesday, September 25,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

A large and valuable assortment of

General Merchandise

Consisting of—Dry Goods, Linens, Notions, Cutlery, Groceries, Tobacco, &c.

J. C. TRACY, Auctioneer.

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PLUMMER & PAGDEN,

AUCTIONEERS, APPRAISERS, ACCOUNTANTS AND COMMISSION AGENTS

BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE taken the large building on Wharf street, opposite the foot Yates street. From their lengthened experience in the [illegible], and by promptness and attention they hope to receive a share of the public support. Stocks, Stock in Trade or Furniture purchased for Cash.

Liberal Advances made on Consignments.

Books kept or Audited, Balance Sheets made out, Statements Prepared and a general Accountants Business confidentially transacted. mal4tf

New Advertisements.

YOUTH WANTED.

WE HAVE A VACANCY IN OUR Office for a [illegible] of [illegible] years of age, must write a good hand and be able to cipher quickly and correctly. Apply by letter in own hand writing.

FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE, Wharf Street. se18

Matrimony.

A FARMER IN GOOD CIRCUMSTANCES, who lives about 40 miles from Victoria, is desirous of making the acquaintance of some young woman with a view to matrimony. Address C. B. Standard Office.

N. B.—Photographs will be exchanged. se18 1mdaw

LIME! LIME! LIME!

TO BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.

N. C. BAILEY IS PREPARED TO supply the best Lime for building purposes.

ALSO.

The best Lime for FINISHING purposes.

Apply to J. E. B. ENGLEHART, Agent, at Brodrick's Wharf. se17 2m

For Nanaimo.

THE STEAMER **GRAPPLER,**

CAPTAIN .... G. RUDLIN,

Will sail for Nanaimo twice a week carrying freight and passengers.

For particulars apply to E. BRODRICK & CO., Wharf Street. se11

Just Received.

LINOLEUM

Particularly Adapted for Floors in saloons and shops.

ALSO,

Patent Glass Fruit Jars

JOHN WEILER, Fort Street. se13

"The Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages Act, 1872."

NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that from and after the 1st day of September next, all Births, Deaths and Marriages within the Province of British Columbia, are to be registered under the provisions of "The Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages Act, 1872," at the office of the District Registrar of the District wherein the same respectively shall take place, and within the times following, that is to say:

BIRTHS—Within 60 days from date of birth.

DEATHS—Within 30 days after interment.

MARRIAGES—Within 30 days from the date thereof.

Every Householder, Head of a Family, Clergyman, Physician, or other person or persons, required by the said Act to report Births, Deaths and Marriages, who refuses, or wilfully neglects to do so, within the times before named will be liable to a penalty for each and every offence of not less than Five dollars or more than Twenty Dollars, to be recovered with costs before any Justice of the Peace having jurisdiction within the locality where any such offence is committed against the said Act.

By Command.

H. W. W. AIKMAN, Registrar General.

Land Registry Office, 27th August, 1872. au28

(Mainland Guardian and Cariboo Sentinel copy.)

Sproat & Co.,

AGENTS FOR

The Royal Insurance Co., LIVERPOOL.

ly Wharf Street.

Cedar Posts For Sale

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS FOR SALE [illegible] Cedar Posts, which he will deliver to purchasers in lots to suit.

Apply to JAMES FRANCE [illegible]

Orders may be left at this office. au31

1872. FALL RACES. 1872.

THE USUAL FALL RACES WILL take place at

BEACON HILL.

Wednesday, 11th October, 1872.

(The day following the Provincial Show.)

FIRST RACE.

HURDLE RACE—single dash of [illegible] miles. Entrance $5 with $50 added.

SECOND RACE.

THE AGRICULTURAL PURSE—Entrance $5 with $50 added. Mile heats best two in three, open to all horses in British Columbia.

THIRD RACE.

INNKEEPERS PLATE—Entrance $7 50 with $75 added.

FOURTH RACE.

TROTTING MATCH—Under Saddle—Two miles, entrance $5 with $50 added.

By Order of the Committee.

FRANK SAUNDERS, Hon. Secretary.

N. B.—Messrs. McNiff and F. Saunders are authorised to collect subscriptions. se18

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Price per doz. $4!

SHAKESPEARE'S

Photographic Studio,

Next door but one to the Theatre,

GOVERNMENT STREET.

N. SHAKESPEARE BEGS TO ANNOUNCE that he has reduced the Prices of Photos [illegible] taken in the Latest and Most Beautiful Style, and not to be surpassed by any Gallery North of San Francisco.

Price per doz. $4!

[illegible] CALL AND EXAMINE SPECIMENS.

MRS. MAYNARD,

Photographic Artist,

JOHNSON STREET, near Douglas.

Photographic Materials

VIEWS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA AND VICTORIA

Kept constantly on hand for sale.

THE STEAMER MAUDE

WILL RESUME HER REGULAR Trips to the East Coast, leaving Victoria on Saturday, and Nanaimo on Tuesday Mornings. se19

New Advertisements.

AUTUMN GOODS

EX "CORSICA" VIA SAN FRANCISCO.

A very Large Assortment of

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, &c.,

For the Wholesale Trade, Arrived by "Prince Alfred."

TURNER, BEETON & TUNSTALL,

WHARF STREET. se11

PUBLIC NOTICE.

WHEARAS by a Notice, under date of 27th April, 1872, and signed by Geo. A. Walkem, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Tenders for the construction of a Graving Dock, at Esquimalt, were invited to be sent in, addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, on or before noon of the 15th November, 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the time for sending in such Tenders has been, and is hereby extended until noon of the 21st December next.

By Command.

B. W. PEARSE, *Surveyor General.*

Lands and Works Department, Victoria, 19th September, 1872. se23

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

APPOINTMENT.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, September 17th, 1872.

HIS Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to place DANIEL LINDSAY, ESQUIRE, on the Commission of the Peace for the Province of British Columbia.

By Command.

A. ROCKE ROBERTSON, *Provincial Secretary.* se23

PROCLAMATION.

[L.S.] JOSEPH W. TRUTCH.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia, and summoned and called to a meeting of the Legislature or Parliament, of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, on Friday, the Eleventh day of October next, to have been commenced and held, and every of you,—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

J. F. McCREIGHT, *Attorney-General.* } WHEREAS the meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of the Province of British Columbia, stands called for Friday, the Eleventh day of October next, at which time, at Our City of Victoria, you were held and constrained to appear:

NOW KNOW YE that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid; hereby convoking, and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, that on TUESDAY, the SEVENTEENTH day of the month of DECEMBER next, you meet Us in Our Legislature, or Parliament, of the said Province, at Our City of Victoria, for the DISPATCH OF BUSINESS, to treat, do, act, and conclude upon those things which in Our Legislature of the Province of British Columbia, by the Common Council of Our said Province may, by the favor of God, be ordained.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honorable JOSEPH WILLIAM TRUTCH, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province, in Our City of Victoria in Our said Province, this Eighteenth day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, and in the thirty-sixth year of Our Reign.

By Command.

RICHARD WOODS, *Registrar Supreme Court.* se23

MAIL CONTRACTS.

TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE Postmaster General, Victoria, and marked Tender for Mail Service will be received at Victoria up to 12 o'clock noon, on Friday the 6th December, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails in British Columbia, between the following places for the term of four years from the 1st April next:

- Barkerville and Harvey Creek,
- Barkerville and Yale,
- Burrard Inlet and N. Westminster
- Cache Creek and Okanagon and
- Okanagon and Okanagon Mission,
- Clinton and Dog Creek,
- Clinton and Lillooet,
- Esquimalt and Victoria,
- Hope and Kootenay,
- Lytton and Nicola Lake,
- Metchosen and Victoria,
- Omineca and Quesnelle,
- Saanich and Victoria,
- Sooke and Victoria.

Each Tender must be accompanied by a guarantee signed by two responsible parties, undertaking that in the event of the Tender being accepted the service shall be performed by the party tendering for the price demanded.

Particulars in regard to the Service, and amount of security required, together with printed forms of Tender, and guarantee may be obtained at the Post Offices at the termini of each route or at the Post Offices at Victoria and New Westminster.

JOHN DEWE, Chief P. O. Inspector.

Victoria, B. C., 1st Sept., 1872. se7 3m daw

Plummer & Pagden

HAVE JUST RECEIVED EX PRINCE ALFRED:

COFFEE,
ONIONS,
LARD,
SOAPS,
FINEST BREAKFAST BACON,
[illegible] CHEESE,
BUTTER, Fresh and in Firkins,

All of Prime Quality and in good order which they are prepared to sell at Low Rates.

se11 PLUMMER & PAGDEN.

CANADIAN CLOTHING.

SANFORD, VAIL & BICKLEY,

Clothing Manufacturers,

HAMILTON, ONT.

We have been appointed Wholesale Agents in British Columbia for the above Firm, and have now ready for inspection samples of their Manufacture, which are of very superior cut and material.

TURNER, BEETON & TUNSTALL, WHARF STREET. se19

NEW GOODS!

Ex Prince of Wales and Steamship California.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

DRY GOODS AND CLOTHING,

LIQUORS, OILMAN'S STORES, &c.

Findlay, Durham and Brodie.

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IRON ROOFING.

Received ex Prince of Wales,

22 cases Galvanized Sheet Iron,

GUAGES 24, 26, 28.

GALVANIZED IRON RIDGING,

Guttering, Buckets, &c.

Also a Consignment of

Braly's Corrugated Galvanized Iron.

The [illegible] of this Iron [illegible] consequently much lighter and better than the ordinary make, effecting a saving in freight and covering capacity of twenty per cent.

Turner, Beeton & Tunstall

Wharf Street. Sep21

NEW BOOT & SHOE STORE

Northwest Corner of

YATES AND GOVERNMENT STS

VICTORIA, V. I.

Wm. PALMER.

(Late of Portland, Oregon.)

Fashionable Boot and Shoe Maker,

RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCES TO the Citizens of British Columbia, that he has opened a Boot and Shoe Store at the above address where he is prepared to make

LADIES', GENTS', AND CHILDREN'S

BOOTS, SHOES AND GAITERS,

Latest in the Styles and at the most Reasonable Rates. se19

Ex Steamer Prince Alfred.

R. MAYNARD,

Boot and Shoe Maker,

OCCIDENTAL BUILDINGS,

FORT STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.,

Has received per above vessel

ALL KINDS OF LEATHER,

CALFSKINS, ROANS, all colors, UPPERS in great variety, and assortment of

SHOE FINDINGS

Which he offers to the trade at greatly reduced rates.

SEWING MACHINES

Adapted for Shoemakers.

The Highest Cash Price paid for Hides [illegible] se19

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NEW GALLERY.

THEATRE ROYAL,

GOVERNMENT STREET

Photographs

In the most Modern and Beautiful Styles.

[illegible] in great variety, and all at Moderate Prices.

S. A. SPENCER,

PHOTOGRAPHIC ARTIST

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Cook's Ferry House,

THOMPSON RIVER.

THE UNDERSIGNED [illegible] Cook's Ferry House, which has been thoroughly refitted and made second to no house in the Interior.

Every attention will be paid to the comfort of [illegible]

[illegible] MACK.

FOR SALE.

FREEHOLD PROPERTY IN SOUTH Cowichan about 8 miles from the steam boat Wharf.

[illegible] timothy, &c., with Dwelling house, Garden, [illegible]

To be sold separately or with [illegible] Pigs, Fowls, &c.

Apply at the STANDARD OFFICE, Or to H. F. HEISTERMAN, [illegible]

NEW GOODS

JAMES CROSSEN

YATES STREET.

HAS RECEIVED A LARGE STOCK of New Goods from the Auction sales of Neufeld & Co., and Greenbaum & Co., San Francisco, and J. P. Davies & Co., Victoria, consisting of

Gent's & Youth's Clothing,

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Hats

of the Latest San Francisco Styles, and a large variety of other Goods, all of which as he has bought cheap for cash, he will sell cheaper than they can be bought in any other store in the city.

HATS from [illegible] upwards. au19

GREAT REDUCTION

—IN—

Horse, Carriage and Buggy Hire

[illegible] Holidays and Sundays Excepted.

FOR SALE

150 Cords of Dry Pine

WOOD.

J. W. WILLIAMS, Livery and Sale Stable, Cor. Johnson & Government streets. se19 1s

SWITZER & CO.

Tanners, Curriers

AND MANUFACTURERS OF

BOOTS, SHOES & MILL BELTING

BELMONT, Esquimalt District.

Lowe, Stahlschmidt & Co., AGENTS.

We have commissioned Messrs. WM. DALBY & CO. to purchase Hides and Skins on our account.

se19 1m SWITZER & CO.

POOR COPY

The Daily Standard

Tuesday, September 24, 1872.

Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Sept 23—Stmr Grappler, Rudlin, Nanaimo,
Sch Black Diamond, Gandin, Nanaimo,
Stmr [illegible], Port Townsend,
Stmr North Pacific, Starr, Port Townsend,

CLEARED.

Sept 23—Stmr [illegible]
Stmr Otter, H. G. Lewis, New Westminster.

Auction Sale To Day.

J. P. DAVIES......Wharf Street......Will Sell......at Salesroom at 12 o'clock noon, Real Estate.

Real Estate at Auction.

Messrs. Davies' large auction sale of real estate, embracing improved and other property in the leading streets and thoroughfares of [illegible] lands; five acre suburban lots, etc., will open to-day at 12 noon. The above offers to the public the most desirable choice of real property placed [illegible] history of British Columbia. As the announcement of the sale has been before the public for several weeks past, we now merely take the present opportunity to remind our readers of the event.

EDUCATIONAL.—Mr. Jessop, Superintendent of Schools, left Barkerville on the 18th for Victoria. Mr. Jessop proposes to hold public meetings throughout the Mainland, on his trip down. [illegible] much satisfaction in learning that a temporary arrangement has been made with Mrs. Hall under which the Williams Creek School would be reopened on Monday, 16th Sept. At the meeting held on the 10th, in Barkerville, he was introduced and in a clear speech set forth the advantages of educating and the liberal provision made in regard to it by the Legislature, he invited the audience to express their views and wishes in respect of their local school.

Mr. Thompson, M. P., then came forward and moved, and Mr. [illegible] seconded the following resolution:

"That in order to meet the educational wants of the sparsely populated districts of this Province, it is the opinion of this meeting that [illegible] Boarding Schools should be established in some convenient locality or localities, the buildings to be erected and the educational department provided by Government—parents and guardians to contribute a reasonable sum for defraying their children's board."

PASSENGER LIST PER PRINCE ALFRED, DUE TO-DAY.—Following is the passenger list of the Prince Alfred for Victoria: A. Watson, Frances Emslie, S. P. Moody, E. Welch, J. F. [illegible], J. Wilson, Miss A. G. Catlin, Mrs. Bremner and three children, Mrs. [illegible] Clark, Mrs. Wilson and three children, Capt. C. Matthews, H. Orloge, [illegible], A. Brown and wife, Mrs. J. Langley and two children, [illegible], Mrs. L. Blum, Mrs. Mayhoon, Mrs. Corvile and two children, J. F. McKeon, wife and three children, Geo. Goswell, Jacob Loers, F. Norris, T. B. Bone, S. Davis, J. F. Allison, E. G. Farnham, Mrs. Morrison, A. J. Bowie, C. E. Welden, wife and infant, and twenty-three in the steerage.

RESIGNATION OF THE MINISTRY.—Our readers must not be alarmed. The resignation of the Ministry of the King of the Sandwich Islands is what we have to announce. From the [illegible] we get this:—It has already been made known to the public, that His Majesty's Ministry have tendered their resignations which His Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept. The Ministers will, in the meanwhile, retain their offices, for the performance of purely routine [illegible] until their successors are appointed. There has been, undoubtedly, a want of harmony in the Ministry for some time, and this being the case, the course which the gentlemen [illegible] have pursued, is judicious as well as patriotic.

SOUTH SAANICH.—A Harvest Home service was held in the church at South Saanich on Sunday last. The service commenced at 3 p. m. Evening prayer was said by the Rev. Frank B. Gribbell, officiating Minister of the district. An appropriate sermon was preached by [illegible] from [illegible] chapter, 10th and 11th verses, in aid of the Diocesan Church Society, towards which $21 50 were collected. Settlers and their families from all parts of the district, and of several denominations, attended and took part in a happy, hearty service of thanksgiving to God.

POST OFFICE STATISTICS.—The number of post offices now in operation in British Columbia is 37. The aggregate length of all the mail routes exclusive of the routes to Olympia and San Francisco, is 2,290 miles, of which 1,447 miles are land, and 843 water service. The annual travel of the mail over these routes is 125,768 miles, 77,842 being traversed by land, and 47,926 by water. Returns are now being kept at all the offices, with the object of estimating the number of letters, papers, books, and parcels delivered [illegible].

[illegible]—Among the novelties brought to the market on Saturday by the Enterprise, from New Westminster, were 600 pounds of hazel nuts, that were gathered by the Indians from the wild hazel bush on Fraser River. They were sold readily for sixteen cents per pound—being in excellent condition and much fresher than any other nuts of similar species in the market. As this is the first attempt to utilize the wild hazel here, we must say that the gentleman who caused them to be collected deserves great credit,—and we hope others will follow his example.

CHURCH NOTICES.—At St Paul's, Esquimalt on Sunday morning next, service will open at a quarter to 11; and the Bishop of Columbia will preach in aid of the building fund of the church [illegible] District. In the afternoon, at 3 o'clock, His Lordship will hold service in the new school [illegible] and will deliver a sermon in aid of the Diocesan Church Society.

THE SAN JUAN QUESTION.—A Washington dispatch of September 8th, after mention of the Geneva award, says: "It is also expected that about the same time the Emperor of Germany will announce his decision regarding the San Juan boundary question, which it is very well understood is in favor of the United States."

THE brig Robert Cowan sailed from Honolulu for Portland and Victoria on the 30th August, with a full cargo of sugar, etc., for Messrs. Janion, Rhodes & Co.

THE H. B. Co's ship Prince of Wales sailed from San Francisco for Cork on the 18th inst. She took a cargo of wheat valued at $25,000.

MR. JOHN VOGEL was on his way overland to San Francisco, for Victoria, on the 21st.

THE Shooting Star from Nanaimo arrived at San Francisco on the 20th.

ARRIVAL.—A large steamer entered Esquimalt harbor at dusk last evening.

Washington Territory.

The fall meeting of the Seattle Jockey Club will come off [illegible] and continue for four days.

The Masonic Grand Lodge of Washington Territory convenes at Olympia on the 19th.

The Coal Company have put in a new drum, with [illegible] for the purpose of lowering the coal cars to the wharf. Under the judicious management of Mr. Dinsmore these works are growing into grand proportions.

The party surveying the land of the North Pacific Railway in the vicinity of Steilacoom, have returned to Olympia, their work being completed. The party at work along the Chehalis are also at Olympia. Both parties are expected [illegible] the vicinity of Seattle to commence operations within this week or the next.

One day last week Mr. D. K. Lamb, Special Treasury Agent of the Bureau of Internal Revenue, unexpectedly went to Olympia and visited officially different business houses in the city, in order to ascertain whether or not the provisions of the stamp act were properly observed. At the store of Wa Chung, one of the leading Chinese merchants, was found the only infraction of any moment. Wa Chung has lost $400 worth of cigars, and, at the next term of the Court, will have to answer to both a civil and a criminal suit.

A Portland paper says that "the first nine of the Olympia Base Ball Club have been itching for honors of late, and, in pursuance of a challenge duly sent, the boys were cleaned out the other day by the Victoria Club. The score stood 55 to 32."

About [illegible] Chinamen have arrived at Olympia from the railroad during the past week. There are six hundred more on the road between there and Kalama, the greater portion will [illegible] road, and the remainder will go to the mines. Many others are bound to Victoria.

SANDWICH ISLANDS.—From the Honolulu *Advertiser* of the 31st ult.—Professor Plummer, having returned from Maui, gave another of his pleasing entertainments at Buffum's Hall, on the 26th inst. The tidal disturbance of Friday of last week, August 23rd, began at Honolulu by a sudden ebb of the sea, the fall being about 1 foot. The steamer Olympia, Capt. Thorne, arrived on Thursday noon, nine days from San Francisco, connecting with the Nebraska for the Colonies, which vessel proceeded on her way at 7 o'clock the same evening. She has proved herself a good sea-boat, though too small for this trade, being something less than 500 tons measurement. She sailed at noon on the 28th, but without getting beyond the heads was compelled to return to port owing to some accident to the management of the steam pipes, whereby salt water was introduced. She finally sailed at 3 p. m. of the 20th. Vessels in port—Nor. Ger. ship Georges, Behrens, loading; Brit. ship Ino, Williams; Brit. ship [illegible] Thompson, Shepherd, discharging; Am. stmr. Olympia, C. N. Thorne, loading; Am. schr. C. M. Ward, Bickman, discharging.

CANADIAN CLOTHING.—Messrs. Muir, Ewan & Co., the great clothing manufacturers of Montreal, have appointed Messrs. Janion, Rhodes & Co. their agents for the sale of their clothing in British Columbia, and have made them a large and valuable shipment, which they have manufactured expressly for this market. It has arrived in San Francisco, and Messrs. J. R. & Co. expect to receive it by the next steamer. Mr. Rhodes took samples of clothing with him to Canada last year to show the styles and cut most in favor here, and left them with Messrs. Muir, Ewan & Co., so that [illegible] will doubtless combine all the best qualities of the Canadian woolen goods with the style and finish. Mr. Muir of this firm is the inventor of a sewing machine working fifty needles at one time, and [illegible] they have [illegible] in their factory.

MASONIC.—Columbia Royal Arch Chapter, No. 120 on the register of the Supreme Grand Royal Arch Chapter of [illegible]. The election and installation of the officers of this Chapter took place yesterday, the 23rd inst. at 7:30 p. m., when the following officers were duly installed:

M. E. Comp. Fred'k Williams, 1st P. Z.
" John Bond, 2nd P. H.
" H. F. Heisterman, 3rd P. J.
" William Leigh, Scribe E.
" Jas. G. Vinter, " N.
" Andrew Astrico, Treasurer.
" Thos. Shotbolt, 1st Sojourner.
" A. W. Barnett, 2nd "
" Henry Saunders, 3rd "

The ceremony was celebrated by a banquet in [illegible].

[illegible] "Fun-Loving Chaps."—In the advertising columns of a Portland paper appears the following very questionable advertisement:

CORRESPONDENCE.

TWO Fun-Loving Chaps from abroad, having a few leisure moments, would like to correspond with an unlimited number of Young Ladies. Object, fun and mutual improvement. Photographs exchanged, if desired. Address Charlie Winnie, or Chas. Blake, Portland, Oregon.—P. O. Box 370.

FROM PUGET SOUND.—The North Pacific arrived at [illegible] o'clock yesterday afternoon, from the Sound, with the undermentioned passengers, seventy-five sheep, and a quantity of produce. She leaves on her return trip at 10 o'clock this morning. Passengers: S. D. Howe, L. M. Starr, J. McLaughter, M. Francis, Daniels, [illegible] and daughter, [illegible] and wife, Miss E. Brown, Miss C. Brown, Hill, Spragee, Hyde, Johnson, Calhan, Hickson, McCarter, Sacks, Gunn, McNear, Pallet, Edwards, Mrs. Doland, Gibbins, and Collins.

JOURNALISTIC.—The Oregon *Bulletin*, one of the best journals on the coast, commences this morning as a seven day paper. It also announces its change from an independent to a straight Republican journal, and in a few days will pass into the hands of a joint stock company.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO.—The French bark [illegible] arrived in Royal Roads yesterday morning, twenty-one days from San Francisco. She is bound for Moody & Co.'s mill, Burrard Inlet, to load lumber for Callao.

POLICE COURT.—Monday is a day in the Police Court upon which the dock is usually crowded by Indians or other prisoners arrested on two previous days. Strange to say there wasn't a single case yesterday.

FOR THE EAST COAST.—The Douglas will leave for Comox, Nanaimo, and way ports at [illegible] this morning.

FOR THE INLET.—The Grappler left last evening for Burrard Inlet, to tow down the bark Jean Pierre.

THE California was announced to leave Portland on Saturday for this port and the Sound.

FOR THE MAINLAND.—The Otter will leave for New Westminster at 9 o'clock this morning.

ICE.—A quarter inch thick was formed yesterday morning, so intense was the cold.

NEWS.—Hibben & Co. have received San Francisco papers to the 14th inst.

Naval Rifle Match.

Rifle match [illegible] between H. M. S. Scout and [illegible] five [illegible] in favor of the Boxer by a majority of seven points:

H. M. S. SCOUT.

	200 yds.	400 yds.	500 yds.	Total.
Jos. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
W. Morgan....18	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wm. Jacobs...16	14	10		40
Robt. Death...17	9	8		34
				149

H. M. S. BOXER.

	200 yds.	400 yds.	500 yds.	Total.
Jos. A[illegible]...17	[illegible]	4		35
Wm. [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]		40
Alfred Endes.. 9	2	0		11
Noah Hinkin.. 9	13	6		28
S. Andrews....17	14	11		42
				156

The marksmen with some [illegible] of their friends sat down to supper at the [illegible]. The evening was both profitably [illegible] spent, not only to the service to which they belong, but to the shooters themselves, for each man gave his experience in rifle firing, and his companion received the benefit of that experience. Such matches are most beneficial to the service both regular and volunteer. The usual toasts were given and answered, when the [illegible] sung "God Save the Queen" in fine style and with a will, going on board of their ships at 11 o'clock. Cheers were given for Capt. Caster, H. M. S. Scout, Commander Fitzgerald, H. M. S. Boxer, and Mr. Baron, gunner of the Boxer, and Mr. Tull of the Scout.

THE Prince Alfred sailed from San Francisco for this port on Friday afternoon, with 80 passengers and 200 tons of freight—so states a telegram to Messrs. Brodrick & Co. agents.

DUE.—The steamer California, from Portland for the Sound and this port, was expected to arrive at Port Townsend yesterday.

The Australian Colonies.

[Correspondence of the S. F. Bulletin of Sept. 13th.]

MELBOURNE, July 30th, 1872.

The principal event of the month has been the receipt of the first telegram direct from London. The message, transmitted by submarine, [illegible] line and horse express [illegible] Melbourne on the 2nd July. Information also reached us that the cable to Java was out of order, and unfortunately since then all communication has ceased. We are in hopes, however, that it will speedily be in working trim, as a steamer has been dispatched to repair the damage. There is now only a gap of some 50 or 60 miles to be wired over in the overland line, and as soon as this is finished there will be unbroken communication with North Australia, some 2,000 miles in length, and from thence with all the principal cities in Europe and America. Another cable will shortly be laid to Queensland, so that we will possess in about twelve months two cables connecting us with the outer world. Fancy a man reading in the evening papers here of occurrences which have taken place in the morning some fourteen thousand miles away.

MAIL SERVICE.

The irregularity with which Mr. Webb's steamers have arrived ever since the service has been started, has contributed to render this line very unpopular. Complaints have been continually made, but no alteration for the better has taken place. It will be recollected that some months since Mr. Duffy agreed to recommend to Parliament that the colony would subsidize Mr. Webb's line, but since then Mr. Duffy has resigned his position as Premier, and his successor, Mr. Francis, on his accession to office, immediately telegraphed to Mr. Webb that no subsidy would be granted on the terms proposed by Mr. Duffy, but that if an efficient line of steamers would make Melbourne the terminus, the Victorian Government would be prepared to grant a subsidy. This unpopularity has been increased in consequence of our reading [illegible] the debate in the Senate on the subsidy question. It is argued that if America [illegible] to be better acquainted with the merits of Mr. Webb's steamers than we are, not to refuse to grant any subsidy. However, [illegible] should provide [illegible] be done. An agent of the Australian Steam Navigation Company has proceeded to England to order several first class steamers suitable for the Pacific service.

SMALL-POX.

The dreaded scourge of small-pox has appeared in several places in New Zealand and Australia. The immigrant ship England arrived at Wellington from [illegible] country with some cases on board, and one patient died. The next case occurred at Auckland shortly after the arrival of the Nebraska. A number of the passengers were transferred to the Hero, and brought on to Sydney and Melbourne. Several cases have occurred in Sandhurst, and the utmost alarm has been created throughout the colonies. Owing to stringent precautionary measures that were adopted, the disease has been confined to the localities where it first broke out, and the excitement has almost entirely subsided.

EDUCATION.

The Government intend to introduce a bill into Parliament providing for compulsory education. It will likely be free, and [illegible] it will embrace some of the principal points of the California system. A rate will be levied and a Board appointed to govern the schools. The Roman Catholic clergy are [illegible] to the proposed plan, but all other denominations are strongly in favor of the measure. It will be purely secular and free from all sectarian influence.

POLITICAL.

Since my last, a most unexpected change has taken place in the political world. Mr. Duffy has been defeated in the Assembly, and in consequence has had to resign and Mr. Francis is now the Premier of Victoria. During the recess, Mr. Duffy stated in his speeches while attending public banquets that if any of his measures were defeated by the Opposition in Parliament, he would dissolve the House and appeal to the country. This then roused the ire of the members composing the Opposition, and on the assembling of Parliament, a vote of want of confidence was carried. Mr. Duffy then asked the Governor to grant a dissolution, but Lord Canterbury declined to accede to his request, and Mr. Duffy had no course open but to make his bow and retire. He might have remained in office for years to come had it not been for his excessive vanity. He offended his greatest friends, and by his egotistical conduct raised up a host of enemies. He may well apply to himself the quotation *sic transit gloria mundi*. His successors have adopted most of his political programme, and we are promised that all descriptions of public works will be undertaken without delay.

THE REVENUE.

The revenue returns for the year ending 30th June were published in the *Government Gazette* of the 10th inst. From a comparison of the results of the years 1871 and 1872 it appears that the revenue received in 1872 shows an increase over 1871 of £453,025 6s. 11d. Nearly every department shows an increase, and the finances of the Colony were never in a more flourishing condition.

THEATRICAL.

Two new theatres are in course of erection, and will be finished in a day or two. Mr. Coppin will reopen the Theatre Royal with a new company, and Mr. Hoyt, the proprietor of the Prince of Wales, has leased that theatre to N. M. Bagless, who will open early in August, with [illegible] as leading lady. The [illegible] comedy of [illegible] has been played five consecutive weeks, without the attendance showing any signs of falling off. Mr. Pyster still occupies the Princess. The opera season of this theatre will, however, soon close, when a dramatic season will commence [illegible] under management of [illegible] O'Brien and [illegible].

COMMERCIAL.

As is usual at the closing of the first half of the year, business of nearly all descriptions is extremely dull in the import market. There is, however, an exception to this rule in favor of American goods. In timber the market [illegible] an [illegible] and a good amount of business has been transacted.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

The Treasurer in his financial delivery stated that the revenue for last year showed a deficit, and intimated to the House his intention to [illegible] policy contemplated. Trade generally runs in a most flourishing condition, and the Treasurer told the House that he hoped to show a [illegible] the present fiscal year.

The Border Duties bill and the Divorce bill [illegible] the Assembly, but the former was rejected by the Council.

Some monster cannon have arrived from England [illegible] month or two.

The American Consul has informed the Agricultural Society that the samples of wool sent by the Society to the United States have met with the highest approval from the wool merchants and manufacturers there. Agencies are to be established in the colonies for the purchase of wool for the Boston manufacturers.

The Paramatta river murderers, Nicholls and Lester, were executed lately, both expressing penitence, and took occasion to address "warnings" to their fellow men.

At Newcastle coal is selling at [illegible] per ton. Competition is keen in this trade. Large orders have been received from India and China at an advance on this rate.

The half yearly returns of the yield of gold shows an increase of 66,275 ounces.

The Earl of Kimberley, the Secretary of State for the Colonies, has addressed a dispatch to the Governor on the subject of intercolonial free trade. He states in effect that Her Majesty's Government might not feel justified in refusing to allow the colonists to adopt the policy which they think best for their own interests, but points out that if a prohibitive duty is imposed upon the introduction of British goods, it would be the means of weakening the ties which now connect the Australian colonies with the Empire. I may mention that there is a disposition in nearly all the colonies to foster native manufactures, and impose heavy duties on all British goods. The protectionists are in the majority, and seek to carry out their ideas with a high hand.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

The South Australian territory, through which the overland telegraph runs, occupies a large space of the attention of the Assembly. Land will be sold at 7s. 6d. per acre, and every encouragement is to be given to *bona fide* settlers. Gold is said to have been discovered in large quantities, and there is every indication of a [illegible]. A large number of influential people are in favor of the transcontinental railway, but the Government require further information before they will grant any concession to the promoters. An offer has been received from Melbourne contractors, offering to construct the line for 100,000,000 acres, one-half the amount asked by the original promoters.

The Town Council.

EDITOR STANDARD:—Can you afford the dear public any information as to what important city improvements have been effected lately by the [illegible] Council, whereby debts could reasonably have been incurred to the extent of $5,000 and [illegible] current revenue? I observe from your report of one of the late meetings of the Council that they have submitted a bye law to the Governor to approval to give them authority to borrow the [illegible] mentioned, but I presume His Excellency [illegible] will require to be fully informed as to how it is to be done with the money before giving his consent to the [illegible] that the Council has [illegible] a deficiency [illegible] the bye law before [illegible] be done. To ask the Governor's approval for raising money [illegible] ing authority to raise money for defraying debts already incurred. [illegible] I observe streets in unfrequented parts of the city being [illegible] while some of these have [illegible] the $5,000, which it seems [illegible] would well have waited till the Council had made much needed repairs to main thoroughfares, which are being rapidly worn out for want of a small outlay in due time.

Our wise [illegible] of Victoria are anxious to see the city furnished with a plentiful supply of good water with as little delay as possible, but if the city credit is to be pledged thus early with nothing to show for it, the chance of raising money for the important work referred to will soon disappear.

Our Town Council would do well to bear in mind the story of the divinely inspired preacher whose words say, "Through the prudence of them which are in authority the city shall be inhabited."

RATEPAYER.

Victoria, 23rd Sept., 1872.

The Spiritual Destitution of the Prison.

EDITOR STANDARD:—What's up? Is the *Colonist* turning pious? Is the man at the bellows becoming alarmed, feeling that his latter end is drawing nigh, through the moral leprosy with which he has been so long afflicted coming to a crisis? Or is it a dodge, in order to secure the position of Chaplain (his old occupation by the bye) to the new Penitentiary about to be built. All his other efforts to obtain an office having failed so that he now feels himself politically "going where the woodbine twineth." It is whispered among those who know a thing or two that this consolation will also be denied him, and that he will not be permitted to preach to the spiritually destitute in the gaol, consequently no pickings from that quarter. It is even said that bad and all as is the moral atmosphere in that dismal place, his presence there would taint and poison it. Out upon the hypocrisy of such a man; the public are sick of such stuff.

CHAMELEON.

A. GILMORE, Merchant Tailor, has removed his place of business to the store adjoining the Colonial Hotel, Government street, four doors from Yates street, where he is prepared to sell, at reduced rates, Custom Made Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods. Also, Garments made to order, according to the Latest Styles.

WE wonder what induces David Green the clothier of Government street to advertise, as everyone is aware that he keeps the best fashionable made clothing store south of San Francisco.

British Columbia's Delegation.

(Halifax, N. S., Acadian Recorder, 30th ult.)

The Conservatives have been counting upon the support in the new House of Commons of the four members from Manitoba and the six from British Columbia. [illegible] give them all these; and the Reformers would still have a majority in the [illegible] but it is [illegible] A.'s Government will receive aid and sympathy to the extent expected from the North-west. We have before us a letter from Victoria, V. I., written by a well-informed politician, in which it is stated that much dissatisfaction exists in the Colony since Confederation. Not only has the Government [illegible] toward carrying out the conditions upon which the compact of Union was entered into, but they have [illegible] appointing a number of the [illegible] in the Lower Provinces to [illegible] positions in the Colony. Notably, the preferment of that notorious [illegible], Col. Gray of New Brunswick, to the position of Chief Justice of British Columbia, has given rise to much [illegible] tatives. He also intimates that [illegible] will be the policy of the British Columbia members to support the party which holds the reins of power; [illegible] new administration [illegible] the Colony demand that the representatives should be to [illegible] confidence of the Government; but, adds the writer *naively*—"there is nothing to prevent them helping [illegible] administration into power."

THIS DAY.

Real Estate.

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DESIRABLE CORNER LOTS

Situate on Fort, Yates, North Park, Blanchard, Kane, Vancouver, View & Meares Streets, James Bay, Pandora Avenue,

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have been instructed to Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION,

At Salesroom, Wharf Street

Tuesday, 24th Sept., 1872

AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON,

To Close Copartnership Account without the slightest reserve.

FORT STREET PROPERTY.

FIRST—All that Town Site situate on Fort Street, opposite the Cattle Sale Yard and known on the Official Map as Lot 74 in Block 23, having a frontage of 60 feet by a depth of 120 feet, together with the improvements thereon, consisting of the two well built STORES, one is rented to Mr. [illegible] Vaughan, for a Butcher Shop, the other is unoccupied, together with the Buildings in the rear, and the vacant space adjoining large enough to build one more store.

SECOND—The Freehold Property situate on the Sunny Side of Fort Street and known on the Official Map as Town Lot No. 780, in Block 16, immediately adjoining the Corner, having a frontage of 60 feet running back 120 feet.

YATES STREET PROPERTY.

THIRD—That valuable property on the CORNER OF YATES Street having a frontage on [illegible] the [illegible] BLANCHARD Street 120 feet, and known on the Official Map as Town Lot No. 105 in Block [illegible] together with the 3 Cottages thereon, now rented for the small sum of twelve dollars per month. [illegible] room for 2 large dwellings on the vacant space which is under a first class picket fence.

HOTEL PROPERTY.

FOURTH—The desirable property on [illegible] street adjoining the Corner and known as Town Lot 106 in Block [illegible], fronting 60 feet by a depth of 120 feet, together with the improvements thereon, viz: the THREE STORY HOTEL known as the [illegible], having Brick Basement, large Dining Hall, Pantrys, Kitchen, Storeroom, Washhouse, with Boilers, Double Parlors, with [illegible], Sitting, and Bed rooms fitted with [illegible] Baths, Stabling, Coach House, Hay Loft, &c. Well of Water and Pump.

FIFTH—That superior CORNER property [illegible] having a frontage of 60 feet [illegible] fronting 120 feet on Blanchard street, and known on the Official Map as Town Lot No. [illegible] in block [illegible] fencing [illegible] best locations [illegible].

SIXTH—That well situate property on Yates street known on the Official Map as Town Lot No. 324 in Block II having a frontage of 60 feet by 120.

PANDORA AVENUE 2 ACRES.

SEVENTH—The easterly half of the Corner of Pandora Avenue and Cook [illegible]. This is a splendid site for residences as well as [illegible].

[illegible]

EIGHTH—[illegible] lots having a frontage on Kane Street of 120 feet, thence fronting on Quadra street 120 feet, making a square, and known on the Official Map as Town Lots Nos. 251 and 252, in Block [illegible], together with the improvements thereon, comprising the [illegible] half acre [illegible] Cottage, in first class order, having 4 Bedrooms, Double Parlors, Kitchen, Sheds, Stables, Wash and Smoke House, Hall and two rooms in half story, and one of the best Orchards in the city, covered with choice Apple, Pear, Cherry and Plum Trees, Raspberries, black, white, and Red Currants and Gooseberry Bushes, about 200 in all, Garden and Chicken Yard. The property immediately adjoining was sold about six months back for $3,500 at Private Sale.

FIVE ACRE SUBURBAN LOTS.

NINTH—Subdivision LXXVI, containing five statute acres of GARDEN LAND situate in Victoria District, the desirable property immediately adjoining Mr. Lee's Hop Garden, about one mile from town.

FARM AT CADBORO BAY.

TENTH—The desirable farm of 230 Acres, situate at Oak Bay, immediately adjoining the property of Capt. Martin and about two miles distant from the head of Fort street. The soil is all that can be desired for agricultural purposes, [illegible] Timber [illegible] can be [illegible].

COWICHAN FARM.

ELEVENTH—160 Acres, at Cowichan, with Stock, Farming Implements, Residence—

JAMES BAY PROPERTY.

TWELFTH—All that freehold property situate on James Bay, on Superior street, and known on the Official Map as Town Lot 1911.

FISGUARD STREET.

THIRTEENTH—Subdivision 2 of Suburban 5 acre Lot [illegible] with [illegible] and good fence.

COOK STREET.

FOURTEENTH—Subdivision 21 of Suburban 5 acre Lot XXIII.

FORT STREET PROPERTY.

FIFTEENTH—The desirable Freehold Property, situate on Fort Street and known on the Official Map as Town Lot 391, having a frontage of 60 feet by a depth of 120, together with the [illegible] Double Cottage, having 7 rooms and Kitchen, large Hall, verandah and [illegible]. Also, the two story Frame Cottage finished [illegible] adjoining, having large verandah, grates and chimneys, also Garden and fine well of water.

VIEW STREET PROPERTY.

SIXTEENTH—The easterly half of Town Lot situate on View Street and known on [illegible], together with the improvements thereon, namely: the two [illegible] residence with parlors, bed and dining rooms, kitchen, closets, pantry, wash house, chicken house, hall and verandah, and garden.

James Bay Property.

SEVENTEENTH—All those two full size Town Lots situate in Block 10, on the corner of Menzies street fronting 120 feet, thence fronting on the Bay along Dallas Road 120 feet. This is one of the best sites for a [illegible] James Bay. See Map.

Superior Street.

EIGHTEENTH—Town Lot situate on Superior street near Oswego and known on the Official Map [illegible].

Fort and Vancouver Streets.

NINETEENTH—That first class corner property having three frontages and known on the official map as town lot No. 762, situate and fronting on Fort street 60 feet thence fronting on Vancouver street 120 feet, thence fronting on Meares street 60 feet.

BUNSTER'S MILL.

TWENTIETH—[illegible] situate on [illegible] together with the unfinished Dwelling, having Grates, Brick Chimneys, [illegible]. The Basement yet unfinished. Title [illegible].

TERMS EASY—made known at time of Sale.

For further particulars apply to

DRAKE & JACKSON, [illegible]

[illegible] Wharf Street.

POOR COPY

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

[illegible]

NOTICE.

House of Assembly,
2nd August, 1872.

(Extract from Rules Relative to Private Bills.)

[illegible] applications for Private Bills [illegible] [illegible] of the Legislature of British Columbia, within the purview of "The British North America Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road, or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbour, Canal, Lock, Dam, or Slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of Ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling, or of any Joint Stock Company; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation would affect the rights or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act,—shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application, to be published as follows, viz.:—

A notice inserted in the British Columbia Gazette, and in one newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.

Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the Petition.

41. Before any Petition praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge, is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such Bill, shall, upon giving the notice prescribed by the preceding Rule, also, at the same time, and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect a drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.

CHARLES GOOD,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
30th August, 1872.

WHEREAS by a Notice from the Colonial Secretary's Office, dated the 14th July, 1869, the Districts of North and South Saanich were created a School District, under the title of "The Saanich School District;"

And whereas it is advisable to alter the boundaries of the said District;

And whereas provision is made in Section 4 of "The Public School Act, 1872," for the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to alter the boundaries of existing School Districts;

Notice is hereby given, that the boundaries of the said Saanich School District are hereby altered as follows:—

The Saanich School District shall comprise all that District known on the Official Map as South Saanich, and such portion of the District known as North Saanich as lies between a straight line drawn from Saanich Arm to Bazan Bay, along the centre of the road crossing the District at Brown's Farm, and the boundary of the District of South Saanich, as laid down on the Official Map of the said District.

By Command.
A. ROCKE ROBERTSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
29th August, 1872.

WHEREAS the Lieutenant-Governor in Council is empowered under "The Public School Act, 1872," to create School Districts in addition to those already existing and to define the boundaries thereof: it is hereby notified that His Excellency has been pleased to create an additional School District on the Islands known severally as Gabriola and Mudge, which have been incorporated, under the name of the "Gabriola School District."

By Command.
A. ROCKE ROBERTSON,
Provincial Secretary.

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HAVING BEEN REBUILT AND STOCKED with a Choice Selection of the best
LIQUORS AND CIGARS,
Will open under the Superintendence of
MR. & MRS. SMITH,
On Wednesday, July 24th, when a full band will be in attendance, and DANCING will commence at 8 o'clock in the Evening. Refreshments will be provided.

BUNSTER'S MILL.

MR. JAMES BEYDEN will start the Grist Mill on the 1st October. [illegible] [illegible] on the highest cash price paid for good Wheat [illegible]

A. BUNSTER.

Strayed.

FROM MY RESIDENCE, [illegible] Victoria & Esquimalt [illegible] a Red and White Ox [illegible] Any one [illegible] will be rewarded.

J. JACKSON.

Oat Hay For Sale.

100 TONS OF OAT HAY FOR SALE
Apply to
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Or to J. P. FISHER, [illegible]

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WEST MAUIE,
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RICHARD CARR,
Wharf Street.

MR. PATTERSON,
Land Surveyor & Civil Engineer.

Office corner of Broughton and Government Streets.

F. S. BUSHELL,
Preserver of Birds and Animals.

Eyes, &c. for Birds and Animals of every description.

KANE STREET, VICTORIA [illegible]

The Largest and Best Assortment of Ladies' and Gentlemen's
BOOTS AND SHOES
AT
CLOTILDE ROMANO'S

FOR
THE BEST AND CHEAPEST
CLOTHING
—AT—
CLOTILDE ROMANO'S.

ROYAL INSURANCE CO.
Fire and Life.

Capital Two Millions Ster.

Total Accumulated Fund at 31st December, 1870, after allowance for all outstanding Liabilities,

£1,924,041.

SPROAT & CO.,
Agents for British Columbia.

FOR PUGET SOUND.
Change of Sailing Hours.
THE STEAMER
NORTH PACIFIC
CAPTAIN.......................E. A. STARR,
Will leave [illegible] for Olympia and way ports twice a week, viz.:
TUESDAYS, at 10 o'clock A. M.
FRIDAYS, at 4 o'clock, A. M.
For Freight or Passage apply on Board.

LD. LOWENBERG
REAL ESTATE AGENT,
Government Street,
Near the corner of Broughton,

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION to selling, purchasing and leasing property, to negotiating loans and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.

Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or making investments, will find on his Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street, Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some of which affords rare chance for investment.

Money on hand and mortgages to loan, in sums to suit the demands.

Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
THE STEAMER
PRINCE ALFRED
800 TONS.
CAPT. .... SHOLL,
Carrying Her Majesty's Mails
will leave Victoria for San Francisco on the [illegible] of each month.
For freight or passage apply to
[illegible] & Co.
Agent.

FOR THE EAST COAST.
THE STEAMER
MAUDE,
CAPTAIN .... HOLMES
Will leave Victoria every Saturday Morning, [illegible]
For Freight or Passage apply to the Captain on board.

Notice of Partnership.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THIS day entered into co-partnership to carry on the business of Commission Merchants and Wholesale Dealers in Groceries and Provisions, under the firm of Guild, Robinson & Co.

ALBERT H. GUILD,
JAMES D. ROBINSON,
CHARLES E. WATKINS.
Wharf street, Victoria, B. C., 28th August, 1872.

Tenders.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED at the City Council Chambers, until 4 P.M. on the 10th inst., for the grading of portions of Cormorant, Forguhar, and Blanchard Avenue. Separate tenders [illegible] for the grading of the [illegible]

New Advertisements.

NEW GOODS
EX PRINCE OF WALES FROM LONDON,
AND FROM
CALIFORNIA, OREGON AND SANDWICH ISLANDS.

THE HUDSON'S BAY CO.
Offer for Sale in Bond or Duty Paid, the following New Goods:

Wines, Spirits &c.

ALE—Bass'.

BRANDY—Hennessy and Martell, in octaves and quarter casks.

GIN—Holland, in casks, Red and Green case ditto.
Old Tom in casks and 1 doz. cases.

PORTER—Byass'.

RUM—Fine Old, 30 O. P.

WHISKEY—Irish and Scotch, in casks and 1 doz. cases.

WINE—Champagne, very choice, Dry Verzenay and Napoleon, Cabinet, Hock and Santerne, in 1 doz. cases: Red and Green Seal, Claret in one doz cases, Medoc, St. Julian and Margeaux, St. Emillion, Port and Sherry, superior fine and ordinary, in cases and quarter casks.

CIGARS—Choice Havana.

CANDLES, Soap, Starch, Gunpowder, Shot, Yellow Metal, Sheathing Paints, Linseed, Colza and Galipoli Oil.

SUGAR—Refined Loaf in cs. Crushed and Sandwich Island in bbls & kegs.

TEA—Fine Congou, Souchong and Hyson.

Cross & Blackwell's

PICKLES and SAUCES, Malt Vinegar, Almonds, Currants, Raisins, Figs and Prunes.

CHEESE—Wiltshire, and Cheshire Candied Peels, Sago and Tapioca, Sardines, Salad Oil, and Spices, Jams and Jellies, Scotch Marmalade, Pearl Barley, and Oatmeal in tins and cks.

SALT—Fine and Coarse Liverpool.

DRY GOODS.

Large assortment of Prints, Shirting, Plain and Twilled Domestics, French Merinos, Winseys, Flannels, Fancy Shirts, Silks, Irish Poplins, Moire Antiques, &c.

CLOTHING, Hats and Caps, Hosiery, &c.

CARPETS—New Patterns of Cross-ley, Brussels, Tapestry, Kidder-minster and Dutch.

Notice.

THE COMMODIOUS DWELLING House, Garden and Stables, near Esquimalt Harbor, now occupied by Capt. Mist, R. N., will probably become vacant this Autumn, and will then be To Let.

For Particulars apply to the undersigned at the Hudson Bay Company's Office.

ALEX. MUNRO.
Victoria, B. C., 7th August, 1872.

Notice.

ALL PERSONS INTERESTED in getting up races to take place on the day of the Provincial Agricultural Show, October 10th, will please attend a meeting at the Grotto Saloon, Government street, on Wednesday Sept. 18th at 8 o'clock P. M.

For Sale.

TWO GOOD WORK HORSES FOR sale.
Apply at the Brick Yard, Saanich Road.
A. PORTER.

For Sale.

SOME CHEAP HORSES.
W. BAINES,
Pemberton's Farm.

To Let or Lease.

THE DWELLING HOUSE SITUATE on North Park Street, lately occupied by Mr. C. T. Millard. Terms moderate.
Apply to
DRAKE & JACKSON,
Solicitors, Bastion Street, Victoria.

Provincial Exhibition.

ADDITIONAL PRIZES.

A special prize for the best barrel of Lime for general purposes.

For the Best bushel of Dough [illegible]
do Second do do
do Best Fat Ox bred and grazed by the owner
do Best pen of 5 fat sheep bred and grazed in the Province

Live Stock, Machinery and Agricultural Products for Exhibition from the neighboring Territory of the United States will be admitted free of duty under bonds to be exported within 14 days.

INFORMATION WANTED.

OF JOHN CLEMMENTS, who left the township of Euphemia, Ont., Dominion of Canada, in May, 1850, for British Columbia; his last letter to his family bears date, Discovery Claim, Big Bend, French Creek, 1866; came from Cariboo to Big Bend. Any information regarding him communicated to this office, will be thankfully received and forwarded to his family, who are mourning over the grave of their eldest daughter, and cry for the return of the husband and father.

A Sure Investment.

50 HEAD OF STOCK CAN BE RANCHED on bunch grass, clover, and wild pea-vine. The undersigned having a run for cattle not to be excelled, are prepared to ranch and winter well the above number of stock on shares.

Apply to
T. TUGWELL,
Esquimalt.
Or to Tugwell & Young, Sooke.

Notice.

THE VICTORIA ARM BRIDGE will be closed to traffic and foot passengers on and after the 28th August, inst. for about 14 days.

GEO. A. WALKEM,
Chief Commissioner Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
August 26th, 1872.

New Advertisements.

VICTORIA VARIETY STORE
GOVERNMENT STREET, Opposite St. Nicholas Hotel.

WM. ANDEAN,

IN ADDITION TO HIS UNDOUBTEDLY Extensive and Varied Stock,
OFFERS FOR SALE CHEAP,
The Following Specialities:

2000 SPLENDID HATS, for gentlemen, all Sizes and Shapes.
500 MEN'S BALTIC SHIRTS,
50 BOXES CHOICE POCKET KNIVES,
3 FINE LARGE COUNTERS,
2 SOFAS, 2 OX YOKES,
2 Superior POCKET COMPASSES,
2 Splendid RIFLES (Sharp's),
Several GRATES, Suitable for Bedrooms.

ALSO
Large quantities of English Door Locks, Sieves, Sledge Hammers, Crowbars, Trace Chains, Chisels, Augers,
And other Good
Market Baskets, Trunks and Lamps.
W. A. also has a fine lot of Cabbage Plants for sale; orders for which may be left at his Store.

L. P. FISHER,
ADVERTISING AGENT,
ROOMS 20 and 21
Merchants' Exchange,
CALIFORNIA STREET,
SAN FRANCISCO.

IS AUTHORIZED AGENT FOR THE VICTORIA STANDARD, Daily and Weekly, and for papers published in California, Oregon and Nevada; Washington, Utah, Idaho, Montana, Colorado, Arizona and adjacent Territories, Sandwich Islands, the British Possessions, Mexican Ports, Nicaragua, Panama, Valparaiso, Japan and China, New Zealand and the Australian Colonies, Atlantic States and Europe.

PACIFIC TELEGRAPH HOTEL
STORE STREET,
Between Herald and Fisguard,
VICTORIA, B. C.
Andrew Astrico - Proprietor.

THIS MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The Table is supplied with the very best the market affords.

MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining-rooms for families.

CHARGES—Board and Lodging per week, $5 50 to $6 50. Board and Lodging per day, $1; Single Meals, 37½ cents; Beds, 50 cents.

Terms—Cash in advance.
A Fire-proof Safe in the House.

THE STEAMER ONWARD

Wm. IRVING,..................Master.

WILL COMMENCE RUNNING, Between
NEW WESTMINSTER AND YALE,
The Onward leaves New Westminster on Wednesday and Saturday at 7 o'clock A. M., and from Yale on Monday and Friday at 5 A. M.

The steamer will not be responsible for leakage of liquids contained in tin or glass.

Apply on Board
Or to J. R. FLEMING, Victoria.
New Westminster, Feb. 16, 1872.

JUST RECEIVED.
Ex Prince of Wales
A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF
DRUGS & CHEMICALS.

COCKLE'S ANTIBILIOUS PILLS,
BROWN'S CHLORODYNE,
FARNHAM'S GOUT SPECIFIC,
NEWFOUNDLAND COD LIVER OIL, in pints half pints,
MAW'S INFANT FEED BOTTLES,
PIESSE & LUBIN'S PERFUMERY,
KEATING'S COUGH LOZENGES,
INFANTS HAIR BRUSHES,
ROWLAND'S ODONTO & MACASSAR OILS,
CURLING'S CITRATE MAGNESIA.

GEO. MORISON,
Corner GOVERNMENT & FORT STREETS,
VICTORIA.

MONEY TO LOAN

AT LOW RATES ON FIRST CLASS Security.
HOUSES TO LET.
TOWN AND COUNTRY Property for sale or to let.
ACCOUNTS AUDITED OR KEPT.
RENTS AND DEBTS COLLECTED.

T. ALLSOP & CO.
Government St. near Fort.

The Standard
LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

GOVERNOR.
HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF BUCCLEUCH AND QUEENSBERRY, K. G.

DEPUTY GOVERNORS.
THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF DALKEITH, M. P.
THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF STAIR, K. T.

PRINCIPAL OFFICES.
3 & 5 George Street, Edinburgh;
82 King William Street, London;
3 Pall Mall, East, London;
66 Upper Sackville Street, Dublin.

MANAGER AND ACTUARY.
Wm. Thomas Thompson, F. R. S. E.

COLONIAL & FOREIGN SECRETARY.
D. CLUNIE GREGOR.

Total amount of invested funds £4,095,589 19 3.

Annual Revenue, £703,450 19 9.

ROBERT BURNABY, Agent.
Victoria, B. C.

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

Black Silks
DRAP de FRANCE,
Gros de Paris,
CASHMERE de FRANCE,
Gros Grain, Tissu Perfection

From the Celebrated Mills of Messrs. Bonnet & Co. and C. J. Bonnet & Co., of Lyons.

Received at LONDON HOUSE by Consignment.

TURNER, BEETON & TUNSTALL.

F. CAMPBELL,
VIRGINIA TOBACCONIST,
Adelphi Corner,
VICTORIA, B. C.

EX DELAWARE,
FROM HONOLULU.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF
SUGARS
ALSO
Superior No. 1 Rice.

Received and for sale Cheap by
A. RICKMAN,
Corner Government & Fort Sts.

C. STROUSS & CO.
COMMERCIAL ROW,
WHARF STREET.

OFFER FOR SALE BY THE IMMEDIATE DIRECT FROM FRANCE,
Vineyard Proprietor Co.
BY BOUTELLEAU & CO.
COGNAC
of the Celebrated Vintage of 1860, in Octaves
Martineau's Cognac,
1869 VINTAGE.

BOOTS AND SHOES.
H. MANSELL
HAS JUST RECEIVED A VERY LARGE assortment of
GOODS IN HIS LINE,
selected from the best that the San Francisco Market affords, which he offers at the very
LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICE FOR CASH.
Also, a variety of
HOMEMADE BOOTS ON HAND.
BOOTS made to order in the most approved style, from the best Material.
Government—GOVERNMENT St., [illegible] doors from the Colonist.

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,
GOVERNMENT STREET,
Victoria, V. I.

THIS ESTABLISHMENT IS NOW OPEN for the reception of Guests, and is recommended to the travelling public as a
FIRST-CLASS HOTEL.
The rooms have all been refurnished, and particular attention is paid to cleanliness and good order.

Apartments will be let by the Day, Week or Month, at a Great Reduction from former rates, and Travellers are requested to inspect the Hotel before seeking accommodation elsewhere.

J. FRIED,
Proprietor.

ANGEL HOTEL
LANGLEY STREET,
LATE BAILEY'S, LATE [illegible]
Charles Norton, Proprietor.

THIS OLD ESTABLISHED BUSINESS having been purchased by the above will be conducted on with strict regard for the comfort of his Patrons, and he hopes by so doing to merit a continuance of the liberal share of patronage accorded to his predecessor.

THE SCALE OF CHARGES:

Board and Lodging per Week [illegible]
do do per Day [illegible]
Board per Week [illegible]
Single Meals [illegible]
Beds [illegible]

The Bar is well supplied with the Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

A Fire-proof Safe in the House.

COLLEGIATE SCHOOL.
Evening Classes for Young Men.

MR. J. T. JONES, VICE PRINCIPAL, (Certificated 1st Class, by the Committee of Council on Education, in England) will commence Evening Classes as above, on Monday, Sept. [illegible] The Classes will meet at the School on the Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, of each week, from 7 to 9 P. M. Terms and all particulars may be ascertained by application to Mr. Jones at the School.

St. Ann's Convent Schools

THE ABOVE INSTITUTION WILL Reopen
MONDAY NEXT, SEPTEMBER 2nd.
Both in the Old Convent, View street, and in the new Convent Humboldt street.

School Notice.

MRS. ATWOOD'S SCHOOL WILL REopen on Monday, the 2nd inst. Private pupils desiring separate lessons in Music, Singing or Drawing, can do so after 3 o'clock each day (Saturday excepted) at her residence on the corner of [illegible] and Johnson streets.

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